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SENATE BILL

No. 557

Introduced by Senator Yee
(Coauthor: Assembly Member Ma)

February 27, 2009

An act to add Section 236.3 to the Penal Code, relating to human trafficking.

LEGISLATIVE COUNSEL'S DIGEST

SB 557, as amended, Yee. Human trafficking: property: ~~seizure~~. *nuisance.*

Existing law defines human trafficking as the deprivation or violation of the personal liberty of another person with the intent to commit certain specified sex offenses with the person or to obtain forced labor or services, as specified.

This bill would ~~authorize~~ *provide that upon conviction for the offense of human trafficking involving real property which is used to facilitate the commission of that an offense involving illegal gambling, lewdness, assignation, or prostitution, that real property is authorized to be* declared and treated as a nuisance, as specified.

Vote: majority. Appropriation: no. Fiscal committee: yes.
State-mandated local program: no.

The people of the State of California do enact as follows:

1 SECTION 1. Section 236.3 is added to the Penal Code, to read:
2 236.3. Upon conviction of a violation of Section 236.1, when
3 real property is used to facilitate the commission of the offense
4 *and the offense involves illegal gambling, lewdness, assignation,*
5 *or prostitution,* the procedures for determining whether the property
6 constitutes a nuisance and the remedies imposed therefor as
7 provided in Article 2 (commencing with Section 11225) of Chapter
8 3 of Title 1 of Part 4 shall apply.

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